A

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box —

PTO/SB/05 (03-01) Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.		33253US1	
First Inventor		Dongming Zhu	
Title	LOW CONDUC	CTIVITY AND SINTERING-R	ESISTANT

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Express Mail Label No EL653124136US

Only to new horipovisional applications under 37 Gr X 1.35(b)) Express twait Easter No. EB03312413005				
APPLICA	ATION ELEMENTS	I ADDDDCCC TO.	istant Con Patent Ar	nmissioner for Patents
See MPEP chapter 600 con	ceming utility patent application contents.			
1. X Fee Transmittal F (Submit an original and a Applicant claims: See 37 CFR 1.27 3. X Specification (preferred arrangeme: - Descriptive title: - Cross Reference to so or a computer: - Background of - Brief Summary: - Brief Descriptive: - Detailed Descriptive: - Detailed Descriptive: - Claim(s): - Abstract of the state of the s	Washington, DC 20231 7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix) 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. paper c. Statements verifying identity of above copies ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS 9. X Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) 12. X Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 13. Preliminary Amendment 14. X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 16. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. 17. X Other: Chièck for \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \$\fr			
18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) Of prior application No.: Prior application information: Examiner Group Art Unit: For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Customer Number or Bar Code Label (Insert Customer Number code Label) Correspondence address below				
Name				
Address City Country	S Teleph	tate none	Zip C Fa.	
Name (Print/Type) John P. Murtaugh Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 34226				
Signature	Solm V. May tamb	•	Date	July 12, 2001

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, Washington, DC 20231.

PTO/SB/17 (11-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

OTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	395.00
------------------------	------	--------

	Ination diless it dissists a vene dile	
Co		
Application Number		
Filing Date		
First Named Inventor	Dongming Zhu	<u>~</u>
Examiner Name		97
Group Art Unit		96
Attorney Docket No.	33253US1	ÿ

METHOD OF PAYMENT	FEE CALCULATION (continued)			
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge	3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
1 indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:	Large Small			
Deposit Account Number	Entity Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Code (\$)	Fee Paid		
Deposit Account Pearne & Gordon LLP	105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
Name Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1,16 and 1.17	127 50 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
Applicant claims small entity status.	139 130 139 130 Non-English specification			
See 37 CFR 1.27	147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamina	tion		
2. X Payment Enclosed: X Check Credit card Money Other	112 920° 112 920° Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
FEE CALCULATION	113 1,840° 113 1,840° Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
	115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month			
1. BASIC FILING FEE	116 390 216 195 Extension for reply within second month			
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	117 890 217 445 Extension for reply within third month			
Code (\$) Code (\$)	118 1,390 218 695 Extension for reply within fourth month			
101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee 355	128 1,890 228 945 Extension for reply within fifth month			
106 320 206 160 Design filing fee	119 310 219 155 Notice of Appeal			
107 490 207 245 Plant filing fee	120 310 220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
108 710 208 355 Reissue filing fee	121 270 221 135 Request for oral hearing			
114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee	138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	ıg		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 355	140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES	141 1,240 241 620 Petition to revive - unintentional			
Fee from Extra Claims below Fee Paid	142 1,240 242 620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Total Claims 20 -20** = 0 x 9 = 0	143 440 243 220 Design issue fee			
Independent 3 - 3" = 0 x 40 = 0	144 600 244 300 Plant issue fee			
Multiple Dependent n/a 0 = 0	122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	}		
1	123 130 123 130 Pelitions related to provisional application	i		
Large Entity Small Entity	126 180 126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Str			
Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Code (\$) 103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20	581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40		
103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20 102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3	146 710 246 355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 109 80 209 40 ** Reissue independent claims	149 710 249 355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
over original patent	179 710 279 355 Request for Continued Examination (RC	E)		
110 18 210 9 "Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	169 900 169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application			
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0	Other (se (specify)	<u>. </u>		
**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above	*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3)) 40		

			Complete (if applicable)	
SUBMITTED BY Name (Print/Type)		Registration No.	Telephone	216-579-1700
	John P. Murtaugh		Date	July 12, 2001
Signature	YALLIN . /VILLIAMY			

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

PTO/SB/35 (11-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION First Named Inventor Dongmin

UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

First Named Inventor		Dongming	Zhu
Title	Low Conduct	tivity and	Sintering-Resistant
Atty D	ocket Number	33253US1	

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

July 12, 2001

.

John P. Murtaugh

Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application upon filing.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

If applicant subsequently files an application directed to the invention disclosed in the attached application in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing, the applicant **must** notify the United States Patent and Trademark Office of such filing within forty-five (45) days after the date of the filing of such foreign or international application. Failure to do so will result in abandonment of this application (35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(iii)).